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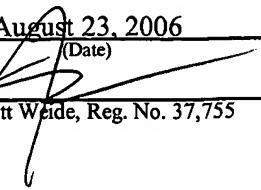
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Appl. No.	:	10/780,780)	
Filed	:	February 18, 2004)	
For	:	SEWER GRATE LOCKING MECHANISM AND METHOD OF INSTALLING SAME)	
Examiner	:	Raymond W. Addie)	

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PETITION TO REVIVE

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests revival of the above-referenced patent application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b).

Applicant failed to submit the Issue Fee and Part B of the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due within the time required. Applicant has submitted herewith the Issue Fee and Part B. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional.

Applicant has also submitted herewith the required petition fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(m).

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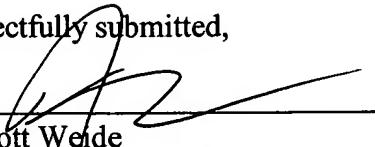
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Account No.: 502200. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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